

A1 DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--;

Page 2, line 14, change "accompanying drawing" to --Figure--;

Page 4, line 10, change "by" to --but--.

Page 7, line 1, change "ABSTRACT" to --ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 5 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 1-4 and 6-11 as follows:

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1. (amended) A head massaging device ^{consisting essentially of} comprising a plurality of resilient fingers defining a head receiving space for receiving a head, said fingers each having a free end, said head receiving space having an opening at one end formed by [the] a juxtaposition of [respective] said free ends of [the] said fingers, at least a portion of said head receiving space having a circumference which is greater than a circumference of said opening, [the] said circumference of said opening being smaller than [the] said head whereby, in use, when [the] said device is lowered onto [the] said head so that [the] said head enters [the] said head receiving space through [the] said opening, [the] said free ends of [the] said fingers apply pressure to and thus massage [the] said head.

2. (amended) The device according to claim 1 wherein [the] said fingers are pliable [to] so that the size and shape of [the] said opening can be varied.

3. (amended) The device according to claim 2 wherein [the] said free end of each finger is smoothly terminated.

64 4. (amended) The device according to claim 3 wherein each said free end is terminated in a bulb or ball [like] structure.

A3 *88* 5. (amended) The device according to claim 3 wherein [the] said fingers [are]

made of] comprise wire.

a3 ⁹~~7~~. (amended) The device according to claim ⁸~~8~~ wherein [the] said fingers are electrically conductive.

¹⁰~~8~~. (amended) The device according to claim 3 wherein [the] said fingers [are made of] comprise copper wire.

¹¹~~9~~. (amended) The device according to claim 1 wherein [there are between] said device comprises from four [and] to [twenty four] twenty-four said fingers.

¹²~~10~~. (amended) The device according to claim 1 wherein [the] said fingers each further have an opposite end, said opposite ends of [the] said fingers [are] being connected together.

¹³~~11~~. (amended) The device according to claim ¹²~~10~~ wherein [the] said connected opposite ends of [the] said fingers terminate in or [otherwise] form a handle for gripping and manipulating [the] said massaging device.

Please add new claims 12 - 20 as follow:

a4 --12. A head massaging device comprising a plurality of resilient fingers, said fingers each having a free end and an opposite end, said opposite ends being connected together, said fingers defining a head receiving space for receiving a head, said space extending between said free ends and said opposite ends and having an opening at one end formed by a juxtaposition of said free ends of said fingers, said opening being smaller than said head, and at least a portion of said head receiving space having a circumference which exceeds a circumference of said opening whereby, in use, when said device is lowered onto said head so that said head enters said head receiving space through said opening, said free ends of said fingers apply

pressure to and thus massage said head.

ay 13. The device according to claim 12, wherein said fingers are pliable so that the size and shape of said opening can be varied.

14. The device according to claim 13, wherein said free end of each finger is smoothly terminated.

15. The device according to claim 14 wherein each free end is terminated in a bulb or ball structure.

16. The device according to claim 14 wherein said fingers comprise wire.

17. The device according to claim 16 wherein said fingers are electrically conductive.

18. The device according to claim 14 wherein said fingers comprise copper wire.

19. The device according to claim 12, wherein said device comprises from four to twenty-four said fingers.

20. The device according to claim 12, wherein said connected opposite ends of said fingers terminate in or form a handle for gripping and manipulating said massaging device.--

REMARKS

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B1 / Claim 5 is canceled hereby. Claims 1-4 and 6-11 remain herein. New claims 12 - 20 are added hereby.

The applicants thank Examiner Yu for the courtesies extended during the personal interview conducted on June 27, 2000. The substance of the discussion during that interview is incorporated in the following remarks.

In the Office Action, there is an objection to the Declaration and Power of